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**PATENT**

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Dear Sir:


The above-identified patent application was filed on February 14, 2000. Applicants' last communication from the Patent Office was the Examiner's Answer dated December 9, 2008.

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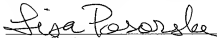
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